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Minneapolis Charter Commission-Redistricting Group c/o City Clerk's Office
City of Minneapolis
350 South 5th Street, Room 304
Minneapolis, MN 55415

Dear Chair Barry Clegg and Redistricting Group Members:

Midtown Phillips Neighborhood Association Incorporated (MPNAI) would like to endorse the 9th Ward boundary lines presented in the "We All Win" map brought to us by Mariano Espinoza at our monthly neighborhood members meeting.

Although the motion passed, many of our board members abstained from the vote because the discussion item was added to the agenda at the last minute and they felt they did not have enough information to make an informed decision. The wider general membership was also not informed that a vote was being taken, due to the fact that this item was added to the agenda the night of the meeting.

We do however believe that the "We All Win" map embodies the redistricting guidelines established by the Minnesota Legislature by strengthening the voting power of our culturally-diverse communities.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

Daniel Wilder President MPNAI